

Ms. Acosta's Counseling Newsletter

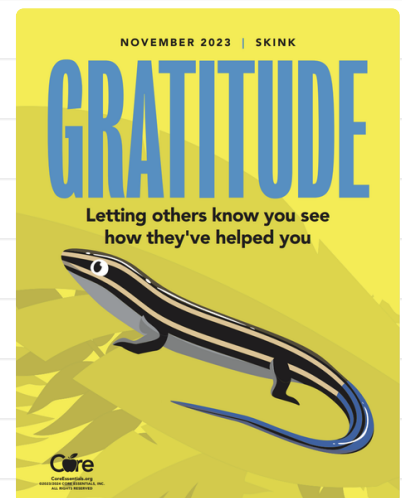
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Core Value of the Month (Gratitude/Gratitud)

Discussion Questions for Students/Preguntas de discusión para los estudiantes

- What does it mean to be thankful?
- What words could you use to tell your friends you appreciate them?
- Why do you think it is important for us to be thankful for what we have?
- Who in your family are you grateful for? Why?
- ¿Qué significa estar agradecido?
- ¿Qué palabras podrías usar para decirles a tus amigos que los aprecias?
- ¿Por qué crees que es importante que estemos agradecidos por lo que tenemos?
- ¿Por quién en tu familia estás agradecido? ¿Por qué?





Big Idea in Books



NOVEMBER 2023

GRATITUDE: Letting others know you see how they've helped you

Give Thank You a Try by James Patterson (PreS-2)

Sally Bee Writes a Thank You Note by Courtney Sheinmel (K-5)

The Better Tree Fort by Jessica Scott Kerrin (K-5)

There, There by Tim Beiser (K-3)

One Is a Feast for Mouse by Judy Cox (K-3)

Albert the Fix-it Man by Janet Lord (PreS-2)

Splat Says Thank You! by Rob Scotton (PreS-2)

Miss Dorothy and Her Bookmobile by Gloria Houston (K-5)

Before We Eat: From Farm to Table by Pat Brisson (PreS-3)

The Thankful Book by Todd Parr (PreS-1)

Giving Thanks: A Native American Good Morning Message
by Jake Swamp (3-5)

Thanks a Million by Nikki Grimes (K-5)

♥ Family Core Value Resources/Recursos de Valores Fundamentales Para Familias ♥



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Boletín de Valores Fundamentales de Gratitude (español).pdf

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❤️ *SEL Activities for Home/Actividades Socioemocionales para el hogar* 🧠



10+ Social Emotional Activities for Home

Social emotional learning isn't just something that should be practiced and taught at school. SEL skills are life skills, of course! These include skills like empathy, self-control, and decision-making. Before I even get started, while I was writing this post, I decided to also create a set of S

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November Events!



Whitaker Elementary November 2023

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 CIT Meeting @ 3:30pm/Canned Food Drive Begins/PK3-A Family Workshop	2 4th Grade Art Museum Field Trip	3 Chico Drug Prevention Presentation PK-2nd	4
5	6 Veteran's Presentation 3rd-5th	7 Last day to purchase Thanksgiving Lunch ticket/Election Day	8 Thanksgiving Lunch	9 Honoring Our Veterans Stop & Go Coffee 7:30am-8:30am	10 Veteran's Day Observance/No School	11 
12	13 IT Class Parent Workshop @ 2:20pm-3:20pm/World Kindness Week	14	15 Last day for Canned Food Drive/PK3-B Family Workshop @ 2:15pm	16 4th Grade Family Night @ 5pm-6pm	17 IT Class Parent Workshop @ 2:20pm-3:20pm	18
19	20 Thanksgiving Break NO SCHOOL! 	21 Thanksgiving Break NO SCHOOL! 	22 Thanksgiving Break NO SCHOOL! 	23  Happy Thanksgiving	24 Thanksgiving Break NO SCHOOL! 	25 Thanksgiving Break NO SCHOOL! 
26	27	28	29 Christmas Pictures/Amplify & Eureka Parent Workshop @ 9am-10am	30 PBIS Celebration		

Information

- **Core Value of the Month:** Gratitude
- Families are welcome to eat lunch with their child every Friday! **Food from our Eat Smart Cafe is encouraged.*



Whitaker Elementary

Canned Food Drive

Let's Share & Care

Help us build a meal for a family in need!

Suggested Items:
Stuffing Mix, Instant Potatoes, Cranberry Sauce, Gravy Packets, Yams

November 1st-15th
Grade level with the most cans donated will receive an incentive!

For more information:
Call (915) 236-6275

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Whitaker Spotlight!



Veterans Presentation
(3rd-5th)



Chico Drug Prevention
Presentation (PK-2nd)



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